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Hendra Sudin

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For: PROBE DEVICE AND PROBE CARD USING

Examiner: E. Y. Chan

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REQUEST FOR SUPPLEMENTAL OFFICE ACTION

M\$ Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The purpose of this communication to the Examiner is to request a Supplemental Office Action with a new date for response due to an administrative oversight in the issuance of the original Office Action.

The undersigned attorney is in receipt of a Final Office Action mailed April 19, 2005. With the exception of claim 34, all other claims were indicated as either being rejected or allowed.

Applicant requests that a Supplemental Official Action be provided in which all claims are explicitly either rejected or allowed, including claim 34.

In addition, Applicant requests that the period for response to the Final Office Action be extended accordingly.

In the event the Examiner believes that an interview would be helpful in resolving any outstanding issues in this case, the undersigned attorney is available at the telephone number indicated below.

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Applicant believes no fee is due with this request. However, if a fee is due, please charge CBLH Deposit Account No. 22-0185, under Order No. 22171-00016-US1, from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

Respectfully submitted,

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